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## West Valley City to Celebrate Grand Reopening of The Ridge Golf Club

**WHAT:** The Ridge Golf Club (formerly West Ridge Golf Course) grand reopening celebration

**WHEN:** June 28, 2013  
8:00 – 8:55 a.m. Program and Guest Speakers  
8:55 a.m. Ribbon Cutting  
9:25 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. Golf Tournament  
2:30 – 3:30 p.m. Lunch

**WHERE:** The Ridge Golf Club  
5055 South Westridge Blvd.  
WVC, UT 84118

**WHO:** Members of the media are invited to join elected officials, city administrators and Golf Club staff in celebrating the grand reopening. Guest speakers will include Mayor Pro Tem Corey Rushton, City Manager Wayne Pyle, UDOT Mountain View Corridor Project Manager Teri Newell and course designer Gene Bates.

**WHY:** On October 3, 2011, golfers enjoyed the last day of play at the former West Ridge Golf Course, as the Utah Department of Transportation's Mountain View Corridor Project was planned to cut through the back nine of the course. Rather than reconfigure just that portion of the golf course, West Valley City chose to close the course for a season and revitalize the entire course, creating a new playing experience – The Ridge Golf Club.

The project, designed by the Bates Golf Design Group, includes a complete redesign and reconfiguration of the course. Grading changes and hole direction changes are among the improvements golfers will experience. In addition, upgrades have been made to the existing clubhouse including all-new interior décor, a modernized pro shop, refurbished Grille and updated Overlook at the Ridge banquet facility.

"The new course features a classic design with multiple bent grass tees to accommodate golfers of all abilities," says The Ridge Golf Pro Mike Richards. "The fairways offer a mixture of Rye and Blue grasses and a variety of elevation changes to provide a challenging but fair game to even the best of golfers, and we have installed green tees for limited-flight golfers."

The Ridge Golf Club will open to the public following the reopening celebration. Tee times are available now by calling 801-966-4653 or visiting [www.golftheridgegc.com](http://www.golftheridgegc.com).

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